

SEABED SURVEY LICENCE - RATE CARD

Type of Surveys	Description	Survey Techniques	Fee (minimum*)
Geotechnical/Geological	The collection of engineering data to understand the behaviour and properties of the seabed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cone penetration tests - Vibrocore and dropcore - Bore hole - Grab sampling 	£500
Ecological/Habitat Mapping	The sampling of flora and fauna of the seabed.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Trawls out of the public right of fishing <i>e.g. benthic/bottom/demersal/pelagic</i> - Grab sampling (hamon, day etc) - Core sampling - CPODs/TPODs - Passive acoustic monitoring - Video deployment (on seabed) and camera - Drop-down camera surveys (interacting with seabed) 	£500
MetOcean	The sampling of the meteorological and oceanographic climate of the sea	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wave Buoy - Acoustic doppler current profiler - Tide gauge - Floating LiDAR 	£500
Concessions	See further details below.		£100

Further details:

A concessionary rate applies if...

- ✓ you are an independent researcher undertaking works for an academic not for profit research project
 - e.g. BSc, MSc and educational research courses
- ✓ you are a Local Council or similar public body undergoing not for profit research to develop understanding of coastline that helps the surrounding area
 - e.g. coastal defence, Civil Hydrography Programme...
- ✓ You are completing not for profit archaeological/wreck investigations for no commercial purposes.

No charge applies if...

- ✓ Under a current contract with us that provides you with rights to the seabed and as part of, for example, an Afl, option agreement, lease etc...

Important to note:

- Where the activity relates to commercial activity and is being undertaken on behalf of a public body, no concessionary rate will be applied.
- The award of a concessionary rate is at the discretion of The Crown Estate.
- The Licence Fee and any other sum payable by the Licensee under this Licence is exclusive of Value Added Tax which (where it is chargeable) must be paid to the Licensor at the same time

**The Crown Estate reserves the right to charge a higher fee when works are deemed complex*